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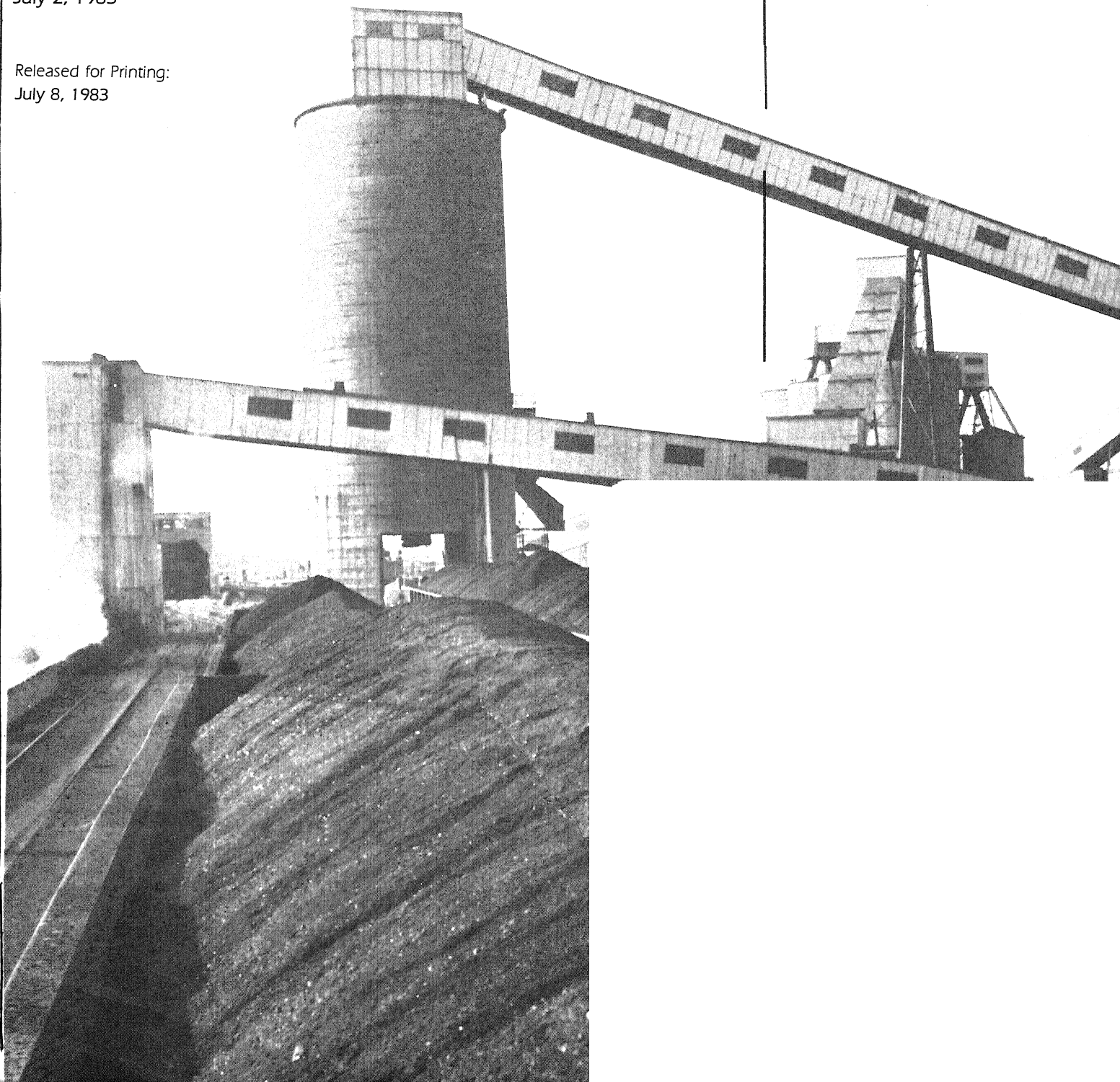


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Highlights

Production of bituminous coal and lignite in the week ended July 2, 1983, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, was 11,508,000 short tons. In this the first full week of the United Mine Workers of America's (UMWA) 1983 vacation schedule, production declined 3,504,000 short tons, or 23.3 percent from production in the previous week. Production in the corresponding week of 1982 was 11,280,000 short tons. In 1983, bituminous coal and lignite miners' vacation periods are staggered between June 26 and August 6. Bituminous coal and lignite production from January 1 through July 2, 1983 totaled 374,467,000 short tons, 14.7 percent below production in the same period of 1982.

Production of Pennsylvania anthracite in the week ended July 2, 1983, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, was 63,000 short tons, a decrease of 57,000 short tons or 47.5 percent from production in the previous week. Production in the corresponding week of 1982 was 45,000 short tons. Pennsylvania anthracite UMWA miners are on vacation between June 26 and July 9. Anthracite production from January 1 through July 2, 1983 totaled 2,126,000 short tons, 16.8 percent below production in the same period of 1982.

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Figure 1. Production of Bituminous Coal and Lignite, 1983 (Million Short Tons)

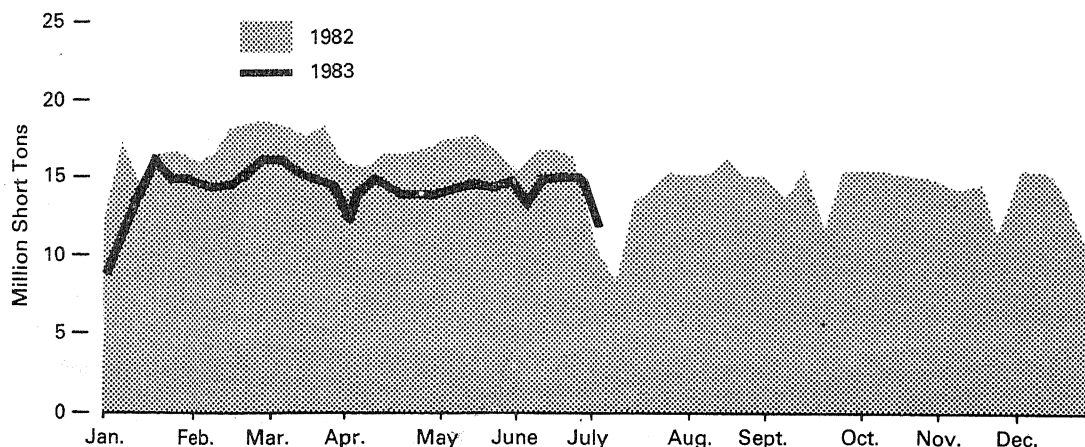


Table 1. Production of Bituminous Coal and Lignite (Thousand Short Tons)

	Week Ending			Year to Date		Percent Change
	7/2/83 ^a	6/25/83 ^a	7/3/82 ^a	7/2/83 ^a	7/3/82 ^a	
Total Production	11,508	15,012	11,280	374,467	438,884	-14.7
Railroad Carloadings	78,908	104,526	83,706	2,544,004	2,975,684	

^aPreliminary.

Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, Association of American Railroads.

Table 2. Production of Bituminous Coal and Lignite, by State (Thousand Short Tons)

State	Week Ending		
	July 2, 1983 ^a	June 25, 1983 ^a	July 3, 1982 ^a
Alabama	391	456	250
Alaska	12	12	14
Arizona	20	251	25
Arkansas	3	3	3
Colorado	235	332	310
Georgia	4	4	-
Illinois	798	1,211	410
Indiana	464	569	300
Iowa	8	8	14
Kansas	10	13	12
Kentucky			
Eastern	2,046	2,082	1,881
Western	500	685	577
Total	2,546	2,767	2,458
Maryland	65	67	80
Missouri	10	93	100
Montana	416	458	590
New Mexico	224	341	305
North Dakota	229	324	300
Ohio	242	594	438
Oklahoma	26	83	100
Pennsylvania	1,139	1,286	1,023
Tennessee	121	138	131
Texas	580	583	672
Utah	90	313	75
Virginia	507	670	435
Washington	70	72	105
West Virginia	1,508	2,370	1,150
Wyoming	1,790	1,994	1,980
Total	11,508	15,012	11,280

^aPreliminary.
Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, Association of American Railroads, and selected State agencies.

Figure 2. Production of Pennsylvania Anthracite, 1983 (Thousand Short Tons)

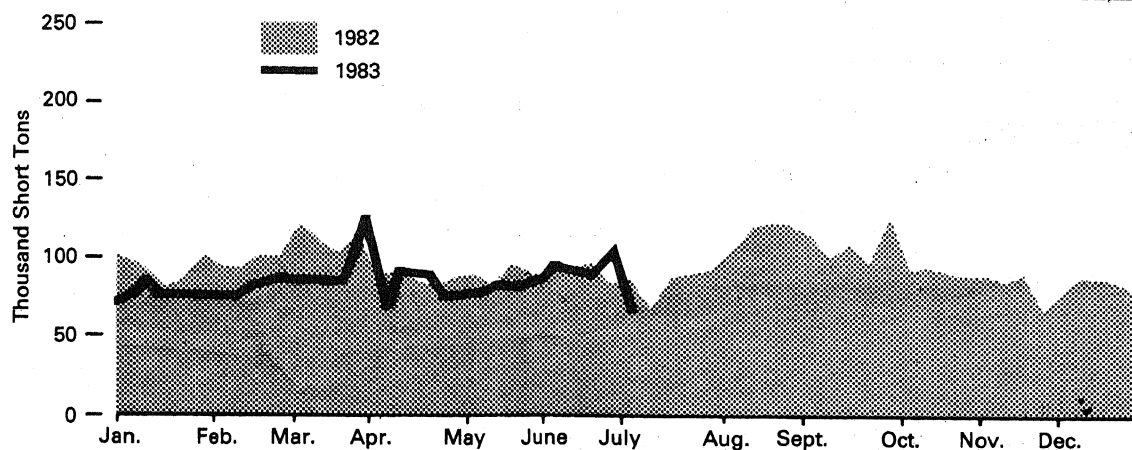


Table 3. Production of Anthracite (Thousand Short Tons)

	Week Ending			Year to Date		Percent Change
	7/2/83 ^a	6/25/83 ^a	7/3/82 ^a	7/2/83 ^a	7/3/82 ^a	
Total Production	63	120	45	2,126	2,555	-16.8
Railroad Carloadings	275	402	92	4,642	5,526	

^aPreliminary.
Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, Association of American Railroads.

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